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RE: Serial No.: 09/832,737
 Art Unit No.: 2172
 Docket No.: 38394.0100

MESSAGE:

Examiner To,
 Attached is the Response to the Office Action of March 30, 2004..

Thank you,
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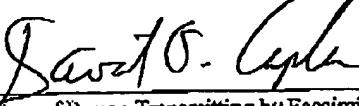
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the Amendments and Remarks beginning on the following page. Applicant thanks the Examiner for the telephone interview of June 22, 2004 during which the Office Action, the cited reference, and proposed amendments to the claims were discussed in detail. As discussed in the Remarks section of this Response, the Examiner agreed that it was likely that the proposed amendments to the claims overcome the cited reference from the outstanding Office Action. In accordance with MPEP Section 713.04, the substance of the telephone interview is included in the Remarks section of this response.